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74 (new). The memory cell, as set forth in claim 62, wherein the memory material

comprises a chalcogenide material.

75 (new). The memory cell, as set forth in claim 62, wherein the memory material

comprises a programmable resistive element.

76 (new). The memory cell, as set forth in claim 75, wherein the programmable

resistive element changes between different resistance levels in response to electrical stimulus.

REMARKS

Claims 2-31 have been canceled without prejudice. New claims 32-76 have been added.

Consideration of the application as amended is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes that a telephonic interview will help speed this application toward issuance, Applicants invite the Examiner to contact the undersigned at (281) 970-4545.

General Authorization for Extensions of Time

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby provide a general authorization to treat this and any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request therefor. Furthermore, Applicants authorize the Commissioner to charge the appropriate fee for any extension of time to Deposit Account No. 13-3092; Order No. MCRO:106--2/FLE (95-0412.02).

Respectfully submitted,

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